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The Ascension Gift...

By THOMAS B. DON CARLOS, Pastor,
Yuba City Assembly of God

"And, being assembled with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which saith he, ye had heard of me." Acts. 1:4.

"And, behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you: but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high." Luke 24:49.

The eyes of His disciples were deliberately turned toward the day when the promised Holy Spirit would come to them.

After repeated promises by Jesus, their expectancy was intensified, as they returned to Jerusalem with great joy.

Jesus promised He would send the Spirit to them after His ascension. John 7:37-39.

Expediency was the reason for His departure in order that the Holy Spirit might come. John 16:7.

The Lord made an effort to explain to His sorrowing disciples the necessity of having to depart from them. It was a terrific blow to them, of course, not understanding the divine purpose of His coming into the world and having to die for a lost world, to be raised from the dead and to have finished His redemptive ministry in the earth.

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The Lord attempted to convince them it would be to their advantage and personal benefit and they would profit by His departure.

The Holy Spirit would take over where He left off. The Lord's ministry in the flesh was limited to Israel. The ministry and operation of the Holy Spirit would be unlimited, universal, and spread to every nation throughout the world.

What Jesus could not do in His humanity, in His earthly body, the Holy Spirit could accomplish, for He is omni-present in all places and at all times in the lives of His disciples.

The value that Jesus placed upon the gift of the Spirit, corresponded to the same value of His own personal presence. "I will not leave you comfortless (orphans). I will send you another comforter." John 14:16, 18.

On the day of Pentecost, in the upper room where the 120 were praying, the outpouring of the Spirit took place. A tremendous spiritual energizing power was suddenly manifested in fulfillment of the Lord's promise.

We do not want to make the mistake of thinking that what took place was nothing more than humanly contrived enthusiasm or emotion. This new power that possessed the 120 had not been a growth or a slow accumulation, but the Spirit came upon them suddenly from heaven. It was not self-induced or self-generated. This was God's revelation of a new dispensation and a new church.

This tremendous power took hold of the 120 at one time, and it reached into the inner depths of their souls.

Where else could the Lord have approached them so directly and compellingly? By what other means could the Divine Spirit meet the human spirit of man? This is God's direct approach to have companionship with man.

The Spirit came in a manner which the disciples could hear, see, and feel. This was divine knowledge revealed and also a divine demonstration of the Spirit.

There was a sound similar to a powerful blast of wind. As the Holy
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OUR COVER THIS MONTH . . . features a familiar scene on the Bethany Park Camp Ground, in keeping with this month's emphasis on the summer camp programs being offered by The Christ's Ambassadors and Christian Education Departments. There are many blessings in store in a retreat from the busy every-day world to the mountains to wait on the Lord.

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Holyland Excavation Is Project For Rev. Heicksen's Sabbatical

The Reverend Martin H. Heicksen, Chairman of the Department of Bible at Bethany Bible College, will take a sabbatical leave of absence from his college responsibilities during the calendar year of 1964. This leave of absence was granted by the college Board of Trustees at their recent meeting.

Mr. Heicksen applied for the leave after receiving an invitation to accompany a Holyland expedition from Dr. Joseph Free, Director of Holyland expeditions and member of the Wheaton College faculty in Wheaton, Illinois. The archaeological expedition will be excavating the city of Dothan site in the Holyland.

Rev. Heicksen will begin actual excavations of Dothan in the early Spring of 1964, and will continue through the early summer. During the fall months, he plans to remain in the Holyland for personal projects in the Jordan area, establishing residence at the American Schools of Oriental Research in Jerusalem, an organization of which he is a member of long standing.

Following is a condensation of an interview with the Reverend Heicksen:

QUESTION: *What is the primary objective of this archaeological excavation of Dothan.*

HEICKSEN: Dothan is an important historical site in Jordan, occupied during the period of the kings, primarily, and also having some connection with Joseph and his brothers who herded their flocks there. So the objective is the standard objective of any Palestinian site excavation . . . to obtain as much information as possible which might affirm or illuminate the Bible record of these areas.



REV. MARTIN HEICKSEN

QUESTION: *When did you first become actively engaged in the field of archaeology?*

ANSWER: My archaeological experience began in 1949. My interests in archaeology had preceded that for many years. But in 1949 I had my first opportunity to participate in field work in California.

QUESTION: *Why are you interested in archaeology?*

ANSWER: That's a difficult question to answer. I think that I have always been especially interested in things of geographic or scientific nature, particularly when it affords opportunities to enhance my understanding of Biblical backgrounds. Furthermore, because I have had this keen interest in Biblical backgrounds for many years, this area of work, I feel, has proven to be of significant value in my courses at Bethany.

QUESTION: *Mr. Heicksen, please name the professional organizations to which you belong.*

ANSWER: Yes, I am a member of the following professional organizations:

- American Schools of Oriental Research
- Associate in Current Anthropology (Wenner-Gren Foundation)
- Society for American Archaeology
- Archaeological Institute of America (Stanford Society)
- The Near East Archaeological Society
- Kroeber Anthropological Society (Berkeley)
- The National Academy of Science

QUESTION: *We understand that you have worked in cooperation with the University of California. Can you share some information on this?*

ANSWER: Yes, I am currently doing graduate work in archaeology and anthropology at the University of California. Hired as a professional archaeologist, I have served as field director for several projects conducted by the University, and I am actively engaged in research activity for the

WHAT IS YOUTH CAMP?

By Steve Asmuth, D-CAP

YOUTH CAMP IS A VACATION. Getting away from the routine of life and enjoying the refreshing atmosphere of the great outdoors, surrounded by beautiful pines or giant redwoods, is nothing short of real vacation. There is something immediately relaxing and invigorating about each of the five camp locations, for all are in the mountains and beside lakes or streams. Variety is the secret of vacationing, and the change of pace at a youth camp is a welcome change. The retreat aspects of camp are beneficial to spirit, soul and body.

YOUTH CAMP IS A SCHOOL. The teenager has an innate desire to learn and mature, and prefers doing it in an easy, sociable way. The educational sessions at camp are thus designed to capture attention with youth-gearred topics and speakers. Bible study and church doctrine lessons are presented with simplicity and interest. Practical teenage problems are discussed by dedicated counselors who give a week of their time to be friends of youth.

YOUTH CAMP IS A CLUB. Camping is an experiment in community living, a belonging to a teenage group, an association of common interests. Working together, playing together, eating together, studying together, and worshipping together, in Christian environment, motivate young people together towards God. Student camp government is encouraged, and "club" sessions are geared to those interested in crafts, music, journalism, camping, etc.

YOUTH CAMP IS A GYMNASIUM. (Please turn to page 11)

University's Department of Anthropology. We have done field work virtually all over Northern California . . . for the University of California, National Park Service State College and Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

"Thank you, Brother Heicksen, for your fifteen years of continuous service at Bethany Bible College, and for the wealth of knowledge you have shared with our students through the years. May your trip to the Holy Land furnish you with an even richer reservoir of first-hand knowledge and enable you to better prepare the young men and women who come to Bethany for areas of service as directed of the Lord."

Administratively Speaking

By

REV.

JOSEPH
GERHART



Q Our Assembly has lost several families lately due to a local lumber mill closing down. Because of this, we have only one board member left in the Assembly. Is it all right to conduct business of the Assembly without a full board until our annual business meeting which is scheduled in January. If not, what should we do? **Our Assembly is Incorporated and Affiliated. Pastor J.D.**

A Our legal counsel informs us that officer vacancies in corporations should be filled as quickly as possible. We must remember that there are State laws governing corporations to which we must comply. These laws require that Articles of Incorporation, Constitution and By-Laws of the corporation as accepted by the State, must be adhered to. These legal documents, as adopted by your Assembly corporation, should tell you what to do in case of such vacancies.

In the Suggested Constitution and By-Laws of Local Assemblies provided by this District Council in mimeographed form, provision is made for special called business meetings for taking care of business such as filling officer vacancies. It is important to note that the calling of a special business meeting must be done in keeping with provisions made in your Constitution and By-Laws and in keeping with provisions made in accepted Parliamentary Law (See "Textbook on Parliamentary Law," Hall & Sturgis, page 133).

If vacancies are to be filled at a special called business meeting, this must be stated in the notice of the meeting. Normally, at least two weeks' notice is required for calling a special business meeting. This may vary depending on what local By-Laws stipulate, as does method used in giving meeting notice.

Note: Address all questions to Joseph L. Gerhart, P.O. Box 961, Santa Cruz, Calif. Questions answered in GLAD TIDINGS as space allows, otherwise they will be answered by mail.



District Revivaltime Report

JOSEPH L. GERHART, *Representative*

FIVE CHURCHES GIVING LARGEST DURING FEBRUARY, 1963

(Includes church and personal offerings)

| | |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| Lodi, First Assembly | \$85.00 |
| Santa Clara, Neighborhood A/G..... | 75.00 |
| Crescent City, A/G | 75.00 |
| Redding, Bethel Assembly | 55.00 |
| Eureka, First Assembly | 50.00 |

Total Church and Personal Offerings:

\$1,931.19

This great Gospel outreach needs an offering from every church during these summer months. Send to REVIVALTIME, P.O. Box 70, Springfield, Missouri, stating church and church address so that proper credit will be given.

TESTIMONIES:

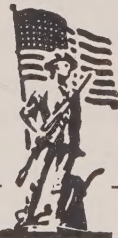
I was a constant listener of your broadcast, REVIVALTIME, over Far East Broadcasting Company. I say with all my heart that I was spiritually strengthened from every dramatic message from God I heard. It is my prayer that other souls may be strengthened in faith in Christ Jesus and others may find Him as their personal Saviour.

/s/ J. L.

San Augustine, Philippines

I would appreciate having at least two copies of *Headlines*. It is a glorious thing to hear your sermons at 10:30 p.m. Sundays at 10:00 the same night, Billy Graham. I often wonder if the voice of Elijah were now circling the globe. I am not of your faith. I am a Catholic who has been looking for this day for many years.

/s/ Miss E. L.



SHARE IN THE MINUTEMAN PROGRAM

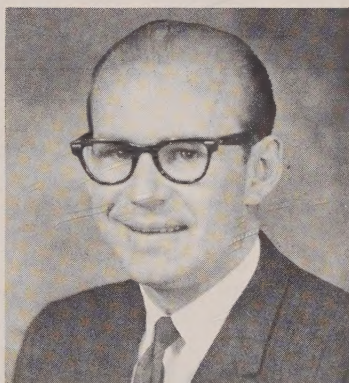
| | APPROX. MEMBERSHIP | SECTIONS SHARE | PLEGDED | CASH PAID FEB. '62-FEB. '63 |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|--------------------------------|
| Butte | 577 | \$ 335.00 | \$ 0.00 | |
| Capitol | 1,996 | 2,057 | 325.95 | |
| Central San Joaquin | 1,575 | 677.35 | 106.00 | |
| Coast Counties | 1,054 | 3,899.08 | 498.90 | |
| Contra Costa | 409 | 231.65 | 20.00 | |
| East Bay | 1,499 | 1,579.00 | 29.00 | |
| Lake Berryessa | 496 | 205.00 | 20.00 | |
| Lake-Mendocino | 299 | 76.00 | 0.00 | |
| Lassen-Plumas | 187 | 20.00 | 0.00 | |
| North Bay | 401 | 197.50 | 221.50 | |
| Northern Nevada | 125 | 5.00 | 0.00 | |
| North San Joaquin | 976 | 77.00 | 0.00 | |
| Peninsula | 2,655 | 2,409.60 | 10.00 | |
| Redwood | 592 | 170.75 | 0.00 | |
| Sacramento Valley | 621 | 50.00 | 15.00 | |
| Shasta | 204 | 0.00 | 9.00 | |
| Sierra Nevada | 258 | 122.83 | 277.00 | |
| South San Joaquin | 780 | 57.00 | 0.00 | |
| Miscellaneous | | 348.59 | 0.00 | |
| TOTAL | | \$12,518.55 | \$1,532.35 | |



HOWDY, PARDNER! Hope you're planning to our coming Boys and Girls Camps. They're planned especially for all the kids that want a prospecting good time this summer. Meet the speakers and plan to join the crowds at Bethany Park, Meeker, Mt. Lassen, and Redwood camps.

REV. CHARLES SENECHAL

will be the speaker at the Bethany Park, Mt. Lassen, and Redwood Camps.



REV. ED KRAMER

will be the speaker at Camp Meeker

REV. DENNY DAVIS

will be the speaker at our new Junior Hi camp at Mt. Lassen. This camp is for those who are 12-14 years of age.



CAMP DATES TO REMEMBER

BETHANY PARK CAMP July 8-13
 CAMP MEEKER July 8-13
 MT. LASSEN CAMP July 15-20
 MT. LASSEN JR. HI JULY 22-27
 REDWOOD CAMP August 12-17

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CITY _____ STATE _____

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CAMP MEEKER ☐

REDWOOD ☐

MT. LASSEN BOYS and GIRLS ☐

JR. HI ☐

Church

News



Items of Interest . . . About Evangelists and Churches

CHOWCHILLA—

First Assembly was host to the South San Joaquin Fellowship Meeting with *Presbyter R. S. Robertson* in charge. A lovely new educational unit was dedicated with *Joseph L. Gerhart* officiating. *Floyd W. Baker*, Pastor.

FALLON, NEVADA—

Pastor T. E. Fourt reports, "God has richly poured out of His Spirit on us. Four have received the Holy Spirit this month. Several have been refilled, others delivered from demon oppression and many have received divine healing."

FORT YUKON, ALASKA—

Missionary Agnes Rodli writes, "I am happy to be right where I feel the Lord wants me. Fort Yukon is the half-way point between Fairbanks and Barter Island—a cool thirty degrees below when we arrived . . . Fort Yukon has never seen revival . . . do pray with us."

FREMONT—

Bethel Church celebrated a day of dedication of the beautiful new sanctuary. *Dave Colbert* ministered in the morning service, Superintendent *Joseph L. Gerhart* officiated during the afternoon dedication service, and *Stephen Asmuth* was guest speaker for the evening meeting. *Paul E. Radley*, Pastor.

MODESTO—

Bethel Church. *Evangelist Ron Prinzing* conducted an excellent Evangelistic Crusade. *L. B. Lewis* Pastor.

MODESTO

Central Assembly enjoyed its first Annual Missionary Convention with 5 missionary families participating: *James Bakers*, Formosa; *Paul Pipkins*, Orient; *Wheeler Andersons*, Ghana, Africa; *John Wrights*, Nyasaland, Africa, and *Calvin Zeisslers*, Philippine Islands. The greatest pledge for World Missions ever received in Central Assembly marked a 300% increase over the previous years. Young people were challenged to consecrate their lives and three felt a specific call of God upon them for

full-time Christian service. *Pastor Donald J. Bogue* states, "This 'new vision' has not only affected our foreign missions attitudes but has also granted the congregation a new vision to do greater things for God even here in Modesto!"

NEWARK—

T. Kermit Jeffrey was guest speaker for the Men's Fellowship dinner. *Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Rahner* are the pastors.

OAKLAND—

Calvary Temple was edified by a Prophetic Crusade with *Evangelist Gene Vaale*. *Oliver L. Foth*, Pastor.

REDWOOD CITY—

Recently dedicated their beautiful and spacious new education unit with *Joseph L. Gerhart* officiating. *E. R. Scratch* is the pastor.

RICHMOND—

Full Gospel and Bethel Temple, *San Francisco*, combined choirs presented an outstanding Easter Cantata, "NO GREATER LOVE." It was dramatized and presented on TV Channel 2 and Radio KEAR-FM. *J. Boyd Wolverton*, Pastor.

SACRAMENTO—

Bethel Temple, Celebrated *Pastor Clyde Henson's* birthday with a dinner in his honor on April 26. Members of the College and Career Classes enjoyed a retreat at Lake Tahoe with *Loren Cunningham* ministering.

SACRAMENTO—

Calvary Temple was host church for Capital Section Fellowship Meeting with *George E. Elrod*, *Presbyter*, in charge. *Sam Klein* was the afternoon speaker and *Paul Trulin* ministered in the evening. The host pastor, *Leslie Ellsworth*.

SALIDA—

Pastor Max Inman reports good services with Superintendent *Joseph L. Gerhart* ministering in the Sunday morning service and *Mrs. Gerhart* in the evening with a very challenging and inspiring missionary appeal and presentation.

SAN FRANCISCO—

Greek Assembly had *Joseph L. Gerhart* as guest speaker. *Nick Tounger*, pastor.

SAN JOSE—

Bethel Church, *Pastor and Mrs. L. R. Keys* enjoyed a two week's vacation in Hawaii.

BAKERSFIELD—

Dwight H. McLaughlin, FGT, *Bakersfield*, "Willard Peirce was our pulpit guest for the week of February 11-17. Dr. Peirce was an able and effective instructor of our training course for the staff members of our church and Evangel A/G. The Assemblies of God as a movement has been honored to have such ministers as Dr. and Mrs. Peirce throughout their long ministry and service to us. It was a pleasure to have them with us."

MODESTO—RADIO PROGRAMS

Modesto, Central A/G-KTRB-Sunday-4:00-4:30 p.m.—Central A/G Radio Hour; 10:30-11:00 p.m.—"Songs in the Night."

KTRB is a 10,000 watt station located at 860 kilocycles on the dial. The 4:00 p.m. broadcast is in its 22nd year of weekly broadcasting and is a Full-Gospel broadcast. The 10:30 p.m. broadcast is a Gospel disc-jockey type of program that is run on an informal basis playing Gospel hymns. The pastor of Modesto's Central Assembly is *Rev. Donald J. Bogue*.

GEORGE EFFMAN—INDIANS

Reports great encouragement in his work and states, "I feel that this is God's hour for the American Indian. I was so thrilled with the response of our Indians—they are eager to hear the Gospel. We saw many receive Christ this past month as I was privileged to minister in *Washington and Canada*. Twenty years ago at La Push, Washington, I was privileged to have found the work and this was the anniversary celebration with over two hundred present. God met us each night and souls were saved. I am so very happy with our Assemblies of God churches and can say that we are helping a lot of people who would otherwise be lost."

CARMICHAEL—

First Assembly . . . The *Gospelaires* ministered on Easter Sunday. The Assembly has also enjoyed the ministry of *Homer Doyle* and the *Lundstrom Evangelistic Team*. *Pastor and Mrs. L. W. Suter* are proud grandparents of a little girl named Lori

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Argentina Gets New Missionary

The Northern California and Nevada District is happy to announce the appointment of Brother and Sister Ralph Hiatt to the field of Argentina.

Brother and Sister Hiatt are both from the Southeast Assembly of God Church of Portland, Oregon. In 1956 Ralph graduated from Southern California Bible College with a B.A. in Theology. Mrs. Hiatt attended one year at SCBC. In July of 1956 they moved to the Northern California and Nevada District where they began their full-time ministry as assistant pastors of the Carmichael Assembly of God. In 1957 the Hiatts accepted the position of assistant pastors of the Orangevale Assembly of God with Pastor M. L. Woods. Here they worked for three years, especially assisting in the youth and music departments. For the past three years the Hiatts have been pastoring the Colfax Assembly of God. During this time Ralph has also served as Christ's Ambassadors Representative for the Capitol Section.

The Hiatts describe their missionary call like this: "It was during a missionary convention in our own church in May of 1962 that God first began to deal with our hearts about the field of Argentina. The urge that began as only a spark was soon fanned into a blazing inferno within our hearts as we laid our lives open to the will of God. Immediately we began a study of the Spanish language. After waiting three months we wrote the Foreign Missions Department. We are now thanking God that they have recently given us their full approval."

Brother and Sister Hiatt have three boys; Michael, age 4; Timothy, age 6; and Ronald, age 8 who can strum their ukuleles and sing in Spanish. Brother Hiatt enriches his ministry with gospel music and art. Presently they are beginning their itinerary throughout this district and are open for services. They may be reached by writing: Rev. Ralph Hiatt, P.O. Box 289, Colfax, California.



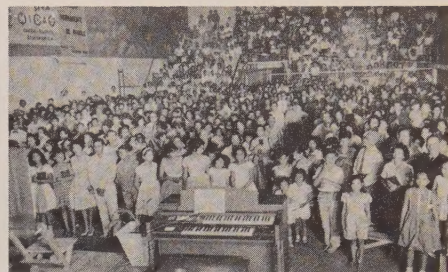
FOREIGN MISSIONS ITEMS



GREAT EFFECTUAL (and promising) DOOR IN ECUADOR

During a recent revival with Watson Argue from 650 to 1000 people packed the Sports Arena each night to hear the Gospel. Approximately 300 have responded to the altar call. With a generous offering from Light-for-the-Lost it was possible to give out several thousand gospel portions of John to the new ones.

Brother Dowdy writes, "By faith the contract on the Sports Arena has been renewed for another 6 months. This building, owned by a Club, is in bankruptcy. It could be purchased for half its commercial value . . . We are praying that God will make it possible to buy this strategic property which is so suitable for an Evangelistic Center, Bible School, Bible Book Store and missionary living quarters."



ACAPULCO, MEXICO—

John and Elsie Peck write, "We have just completed a week of special services in Marquelia where we were mobbed two years ago and some of the brethren who had become disheartened have come back into service again. We thank God for this. Cacatlutla goes forward and they are making bricks with which to build their church. Pericon is also progressing nicely with their work. We now have about 115 students who are studying the book of John."



The picture shows a group of students on the new Speed-the-Light truck furnished by the C. A.'s of Northern California and Nevada.

Due to government regulations the Bible School changed its location from Witbank to Rustenberg, Transvaal, South Africa.

Complete new school facilities had to be provided. In the background is the new men's dormitory. The new

truck was a great blessing in the building and the moving of the school. This new school plant has had enthusiastic reception by all who have seen it. Brother Hogan, Foreign Missions Director, recently visited the area and reported that it had the potential to be one of the best Bible School in Africa. Lewis Wilson is the principal.

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Denise born March 18 to Larry and Carole (Suter) Cessman.

CUPERTINO—

Evangelist John McPherson recently conducted services. C. Franklyn Murray was guest speaker for the Men's Fellowship. H. Russell Baker, Pastor.

STAN MacPHERSON REPORTS

"Greetings from Java . . . God is blessing. We were in Hawaii, Samoa, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia. Had two campaigns here in Indonesia . . . one in Sumatra and one in Java. We are now in a city in Java in another campaign. Last place God blessed in filling believers with the Spirit. From here we go to Singapore, Burma, Thailand, Hong Kong, Philippine Islands, Japan, Guam, etc."

SAN JOSE—

Calvary Temple. Fourteen couples attended a "Couples Conference" at Mt. Hermon. All reported that the outstanding feature of the Conference was the new insight into the Word they received and the spiritual strength derived from fellowship with

other Christians. Kermit Jeffrey, pastor.

SANTA ROSA—

First Assembly enjoyed the ministry of Evangelist Ralph I. Cranston in a series of meetings. William O. Vickery, Pastor.

ST. HELENA—

Evangelists Gary and Sharon Archer recently concluded a very successful two week's revival. The ministry in sermon and song was excellent. Some were at the altar for salvation and the results were encouraging. Also recent guest speaker was Eldon Easter of Bethany Bible College. F. T. Alford, pastor.

SUNNYVALE—

First Assembly recently had a revival meeting with Evangelist Ron Prinzing. Ralph W. Hillegas, Pastor.

TURLOCK—

Bethel Temple recently completed a most unique Kar Krusade which covered a period of 14 weeks. The emphasis was in bringing new people into the Sunday School with the result that a total of 371 new people

came, or an average of 26 new ones each Sunday. Rev. Odell Brown, Spirit-filled evangelist for the Methodist Church Conference of Virginia was a recent guest speaker.

Pastor and Mrs. Bob Carrington have acquired a new daughter as their son, Fred, was married to Miss Joan Kaye Brown.

SAM COCHRAN—

National Administrator for "Light for the Lost" was a recent guest speaker. "Light for the Lost" provides gospel literature for many Foreign City Crusades now in operation throughout the world.

WOODLAND—

Recently heard Norman Campbell, Missionary to Colombia, S.A. An outstanding revival was concluded with Evangelist Walter Larson. About 15 came to accept the Lord and at least 3 were baptized in the Holy Spirit. R. A. Wilson, Jr., pastor.

YERINGTON, NEVADA—

Indian Assembly experienced a great moving of the Holy Spirit with George Effman ministering. Luther A. Cayton, pastor.

YUBA CITY—

Concluded a two week's revival with Evangelist Sam Klein of Sacramento. It was a great success because of his outstanding preaching. He has a tremendous revelation of the Word which captivated the people. Souls were at the altar for salvation and the Holy Spirit was present to baptize. We do highly recommend Brother Klein. Thomas B. DonCarlos, pastor.

NEW ARRIVAL—

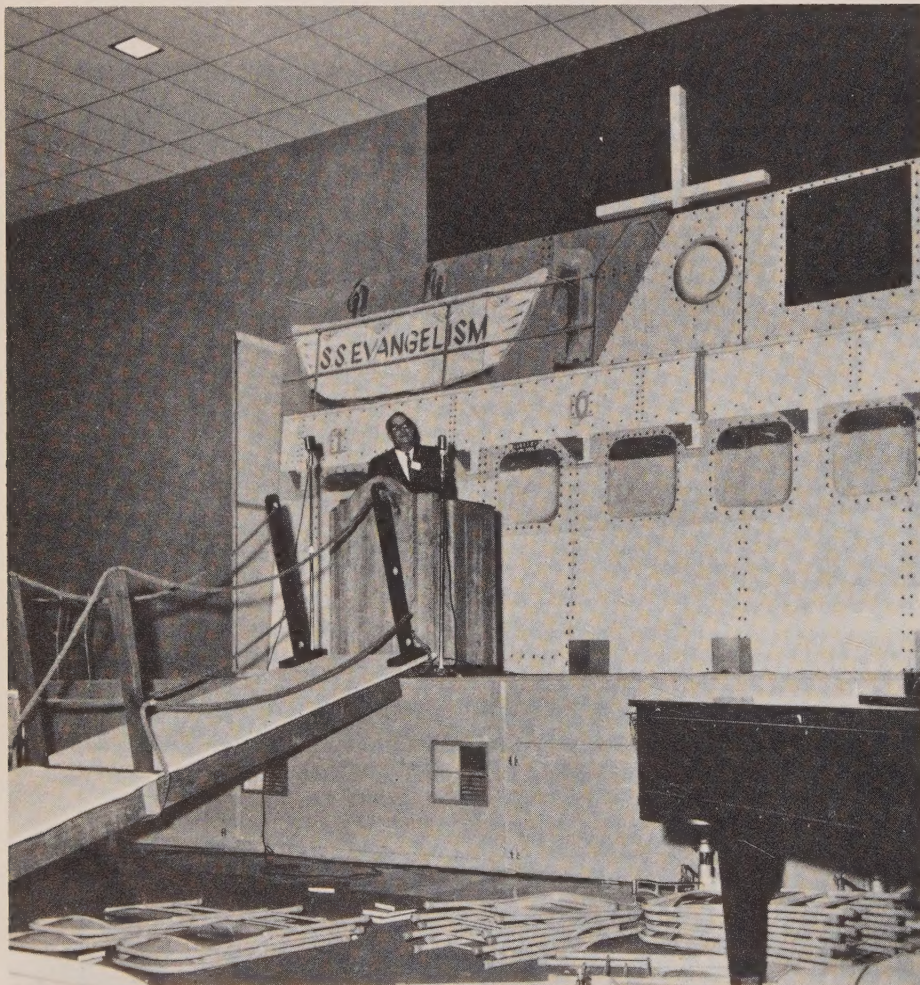
Lynnell Joan Anderson joined the ranks of the Gene Anderson family on April 22, 1963. Lynnell has two brothers and her father is Associate Pastor of Bethel Temple, Hayward.

BIRTHS

Norman and Loretta Kaupanger, Children's Evangelists of Santa Cruz, are the proud parents of a newly adopted son, Nathan Ray, born March 28, 1963.

BELLMORES ARRIVE IN STATES

The James Bellmores arrived in the States April 17. They will be making their headquarters at Missionary Village in Springfield, Mo. for several months. In May they will be participating in missionary conventions in Santa Rosa and Morgan Hill, California. They expect to begin itineration in the early fall. Brother Bellmore reports his health is now fine.



REV. WILLIAM KIRSCHKE, CHURCH EDUCATION CONVENTION SPEAKER.

Church Education Convention Report

The Church Education Convention held April 4, 5 and 6 at the Redwood Auditorium in Bethany Park proved to be a success by the enthusiasm and attendance of the more than twenty conferences offered by the delegates.

Rev. Kirshke, the featured speaker, ministered with the furor and inspiration that challenged and gripped the hearts of all who heard him.

Friday night climaxed the Church Education Convention with practically the entire congregation coming to the altar in reconsecration to their ministry in the local church. The presentation of the visual, "Good Ship Sunday School Evangelism," carried a message that caused all in attendance to realize that our ministry through the Sunday School goes far beyond the four walls of our classrooms. The cast for the visual involved more than 45 BBC students.

Each of the day time sessions were packed full of information plus challenge to dedicate more fully to the great task of building the Kingdom of God. Space would not allow the printing of all the fine comments concerning the excellent job done by the conference leaders who were people that gave of their time and effort without any remuneration.

This is the second convention of this type which has been presented in the U. S. A. The first was held in Sacramento in 1961. Director, Dave Colbert comments that other district Sunday School Directors from other states have requested this convention format for their particular district.

THE ASCENSION GIFT

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Spirit took possession of the 120, they were shaken, empowered, filled, and began to speak with other tongues as the Spirit gave utterance.

They heard the wind of heaven, the breath of God, the Holy Spirit. The sound was audible evidence of His presence. It took the form of an invasion of the human personality, the human temple. They were from that moment, Spirit-filled, Spirit-empowered, Spirit-moved and Spirit-directed. From that time on, all power in living came from the indwelling Spirit of God.

Our prayer should be, "Let not our temples be empty—fill our temples with thy Holy Spirit in us. Conse-

crated and use us for Thy glory. Move in and make us Thy habitation."

The promise is to all who repent; every believer is entitled to receive the Holy Spirit as a divine privilege.

Clinic Scheduled for Camp Counselors

Bethel Temple, Sacramento, is the site of the first annual clinic for counselors of the 1963 Boys and Girls Camps and Youth Camps, on Sat., June 15th. Counselors, staff members and all who are interested in assisting the camp program are urged to take advantage of this one-day training course being made available by the district Christian Education and Christ's Ambassadors departments. Sessions from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. will cover a wide range of subjects, including camp policies, how to counsel, understanding youth, and craft instruction. Experienced personnel, including camp directors and camp speakers, will conduct the seminar, and appropriate films will be shown. A free lunch for all attending will be provided.

July 4th RFFM Day at Bethany Park Camp Meet

The highlight of our Camp has always been the great World Missions Rally. The Foreign Missions Board and Camp Committee have decided this year to conduct this service on the afternoon of July 4th.

Rev. Glenn Horst of Seattle, will be the speaker and all of our District Missionaries, who are home on furlough will be participating.

The objective of the service will be to provide the Return Fare For Missionaries, \$15,000 is needed this year for this purpose, and this will be the goal of the 4th of July Rally.

It is hoped that each Church in our District will participate in this service by being represented with an offering or faith promise or by phoning in advance of the meeting the amount they will contribute for this purpose.

R.F.F.M. means—Return Fare For Missionaries. Let's make it possible by everyone having a part in the great Missionary Rally on July 4th.

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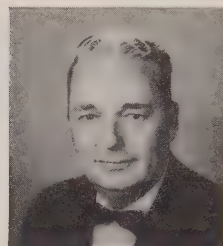
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WHAT IS YOUTH CAMP?

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YOUTH CAMP IS A CHURCH. Underlying all events is the spiritual emphasis of Christ's Ambassadors camp. Especially are the evening services and prayer times of immense value in satisfying the spiritual hunger of the camper. It is only natural for revival to break out upon tender, pliable hearts, who are all of one age, in one place, and in one accord. The featured speakers are evangelists who have had much ministry with youth, and are dedicated to bringing them the full gospel in all of its power.

Youth Camp is for youths twelve to nineteen years of age. Secure a registration card from your church bulletin board and send it with \$1.00 to Camps, P. O. Box 961, Santa Cruz, California. To make certain of a place in camp, register at least one week prior to the opening date of camp,

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ROSE OF SHARON

MISSIONETTE CONVENTION THEME

APRIL 8-10, 1963

Christ, our Rose of Sharon, was made real to the 403 registered during the 1963 Missionette Convention at Mission Springs. Nine girls accepted Christ as their personal Saviour and one was filled with the Holy Spirit. All were blessed and left the Convention rejoicing in the Lord.

Each morning Elizabeth Gomes directed Devotional services and Willa Vae Bowles explained the "Stairway to the Stars" program and featured the Missionettes who have completed the requirements for the steps on the stairway of the achievement program.

Miriam Wright, missionary to Nyasaland, spoke each morning on the "Fragrance of the Rose" while Goldia Anderson spoke on "Petals from the Rose." Workshops were conducted by Alice Kirsch, Marjorie Baker, Helen Rye and Barbara Forrest.

All enjoyed a playlet, "The Rose Parade" presented by the Sunnyvale Missionettes. This was followed by a parade of the 14 Dime Project entries each portraying missionary theme.

A highlight of the Tuesday evening service was an oil painting of the Scottish Rose by Mrs. Hill. This

beautiful painting will be sent to the Orphanage in Mexico.

The Queen and Princess were chosen from their Sponsor's reports of the work they have done since October 1, 1962. This involved their attendance at Missionette Club meetings, Sunday School and church; giving an offering; carrying Bible; participation in Club meetings; bringing in new members; and most points were won for the amount of Bible reading and the writing of a theme on their favorite Bible character.

The annual Convention Banquet was attended by 353 who appreciated the swiss steak meal. The Redwood City Missionettes presented "The Sacrificial Gift" and the Oakland, First Assembly Missionette quartet sang.

PICTURE CAPTIONS—

- (1) Missionette Convention Staff (first row left to right): Goldia Anderson, Helen Rye, Willa Vae Bowles, Elizabeth Gomes. (Back row, left to right): Phoebe Tse, Alice Kirsch, Gretchen Lehman, Pearl Stump, Barbara Forrest, Miriam Wright, Marjorie Baker, Olive Zeissler. (Not pictured, Judy Anderson.)
- (2) Linda Heath of Oakland, First Assembly, is crowned and robed the Convention Princess by the District WMC President and Missionette Director. Mrs. M. L. Anderson is her Missionette sponsor. Linda received a beautiful White Bible as her reward. Her attendants: Phyllis Trotter of Stockton, Eastside, and Linda Stenberg of Red Bluff, Bethel Temple, each received a record by the Kaufmans.
- (3) First place winners of the Dime Project Entry (Large Church group) was San Francisco, Glad Tidings. Mrs. Mildred Cross and Mrs. Elsie Manner are Sponsors.
- (4) First place winners of the Dime project entry (small church group) was Pittsburg, Bella Vista. Mrs. Liana Walls is the sponsor.
- (5) District Missionette President presents our first lady, Mrs. J. L. Gerhart, with a beautiful red rose arm bouquet in appreciation for her labors in behalf of our Missionette program.
- (6) Convention Queen, Dixie Learn of Redwood City, is seated with her attendants, Bonnie Olson of Turlock, Bethel Temple; Peggy Thompson, San Francisco, Glad Tidings; and Linda Rust of Stockton, Eastside. Bonnie received the treasure chest filled with gifts from each participating club. The attendants received a copy of the book, "Give Me This Mountain."
- (7) Redwood City Missionettes were awarded for the Dime Project entry with the largest number of dimes — \$126.40. Mrs. Barbara Locke and Mrs. Helen Anderson are the sponsors.
- (8) The award for the prettiest Dime Project entry was given to San Jose, Lone Hill Missionettes.



Bethany Prepares Enrollment Projection

"Bethany Bible College has had a continuing trend of growth from 1951 through 1963. Obviously, if such a trend would persist, it would affect the functions of the college: housing classroom facilities, as well as administrative and instructional personnel. Is it possible to predict enrollment?" This was the opening paragraph of the report by the administration-appointed faculty committee, studying the problem of Enrollment Projection.

The committee included the Reverends Fred Greve of the Christian Education Department, chairman; Elmer Kirsch, Dean of Students; and Everett Wilson, Missions Department.

In the report which was released February 1, 1963, the committee endeavored to identify some of the variables which might be producing the growth pattern at Bethany. Some of the factors noted were: (1) the addition of the four-year program (1954); (2) achievement of accreditation (1959); (3) work opportunities (State Employment Bureau here); (4) continuity of emphasis ("This is a Bible College"); (5) longevity ratio of faculty; (6) population explosion in California; and (7) incidence of "war babies".

In attempting population projections, the committee employed the "geometric mean" . . . a tool generally used by mathematicians and statisticians. Based upon the growth pattern of Bethany's student population since 1951, the enrollment projection for the Fall of '65 would be 528 students. Within the following three years, Fall of '68, the projected enrollment could be 710.

Along with this estimated increase in student population will be requirements for the expansion of present facilities: new dormitories, new classrooms, enlarged Chapel building and increased library area.

This projected increase would also require a larger faculty. To adequately distribute instructional responsibilities, the present faculty of 19 must be increased to 35 or more.

Although it would be difficult to execute every recommendation of the committee, the administration expressed its sincere appreciation for the committee's efforts, observations, . . . AND ITS UNVEILING OF THE EVEN GREATER FUTURE FOR BETHANY.

ROSE OF SHARON

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The speakers for Monday evening were Phoebe Tse from Hong Kong and Gretchen Lehman from Ghana. Tuesday evening the speakers were Judy Anderson from Ghana and Olive Zeissler from the Philippines. The testimonies and messages from these young ladies enriched our knowledge of life on the missionfield and stirred hearts to fully dedicate our "all" to the Lord that we might be used to help spread the Gospel.

"Jesus Rose of Sharon" was sung by Marlene Anderson each evening following the messages. During this song (by rheostat lighting) the 8'x8' beautiful red Rose painted by Rev. Mel Harrel of Grass Valley, faded out and the picture of Christ, our Rose of Sharon, projected on stage. The presence of our Lord was so real

and with this visual atmosphere many knelt in prayer and made sincere consecrations of their lives to the Lord's work.

For the benefit of more of our girls, similar Conventions are planned for June 15 in Chico and August 23 in Redwood Camp.

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Total cash given\$668,180.83

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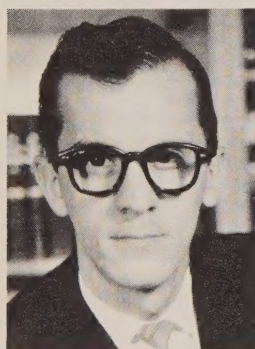
YOUTH CAMP

With five locations and six weeks of camp to choose from, you are sure to find exactly the camp you want.

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Check the chart below for important camp information then forward the registration form, with \$1.00 registration fee, to CAMPS, P.O. Box 961, Santa Cruz, California.

| DATE | CAMP | SPEAKER | FEE* | AGES** | MAX. NO. |
|--------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------|--------|----------|
| JUNE 24-29 | BASS LAKE | Rick Howard | \$21.50 | 12-19 | 50 |
| JULY 8-13 | MT. LASSEN (Sr. Hi) | Ron Prinzing | 18.00 | 15-19 | 200 |
| July 15-20 | BETHANY PARK | Ron Prinzing | 22.50 | 12-19 | 275 |
| JULY 22-27 | MT. LASSEN (Jr. Hi) | Denny Davis | 17.00 | 12-14 | 200 |
| August 5-10 | REDWOOD | Warren McPherson | 19.50 | 12-19 | 100 |
| AUGUST 26-31 | LAKE TAHOE | Rick Howard | \$21.50 | 12-19 | 150 |



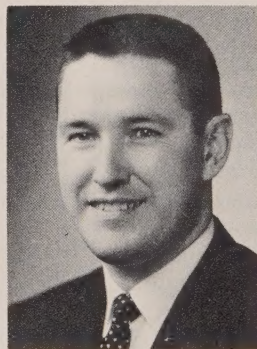
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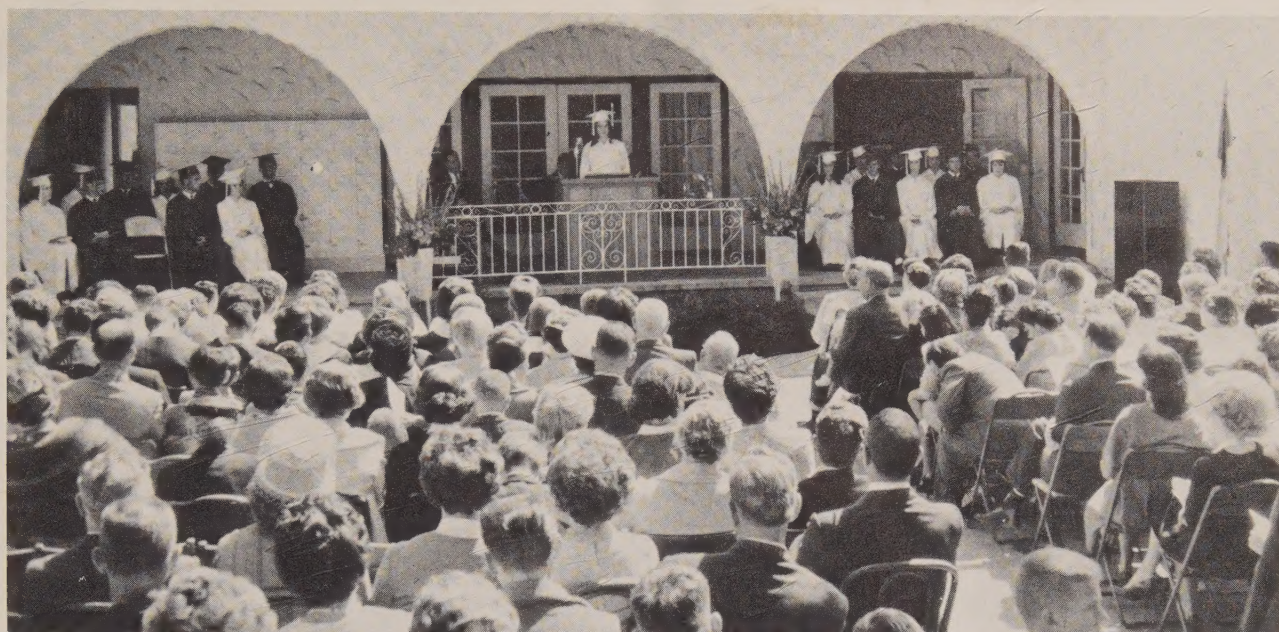
** Ages listed are inclusive. Youths over 19 accepted on approval.

PLEASE NOTE:

As camps do not open until Monday morning, campers will not be received on Sunday.

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If you are over 19 and are interested in being a camp counselor, please write for application.



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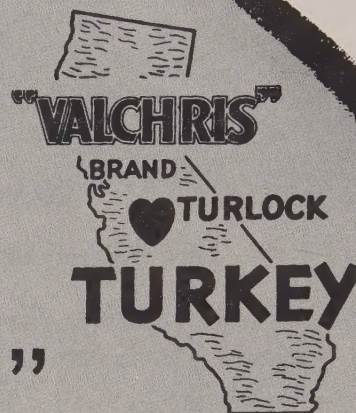
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